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NO ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE IS REQUIRED, AS SHOWN BELOW.

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REQUIREMENT OF APRIL 1, 2003, INCLUDING AN ATTACHED COVER SHEET
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows.

In the Claims:

Claims 1 to 3 are maintained unchanged.

4. (amended) An aluminum alloy foil consisting of the
aluminum alloy according to claim 1, and having a thickness,
elongation and yield strength so selected that the relation

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